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1. 1150 regional breakdown of population in the RSFSR from data supplied by S/L. (Secret).
2. The equation which has been used here is:

$$\frac{\text{Population Region 11A}}{\text{Population Region 11B}} = \frac{x}{\text{TM Plan Allocation to Region 11B}}$$

Population data for this equation obtained from S/L. (Secret).

3. For a more detailed discussion of this cut, see Section 1-F of this Project, Civil Consumption of Petroleum Products in the USSR p 126. (Top Secret).

4. Data for Table 25 obtained from the contribution of M/AG to Project 105-51. (Secret).

5. Preliminary contribution of S/TR to Project 105-51 (Top Secret).

6. 110-31, Merchant Shipping in the USSR.

7. Data on which Table 31 is based obtained from the June 1951 revision of Chapter III, Section 53, NIS 26: "Inland Waterways", as obtained from GSIB, Army Map Service. (Confidential).

8. Data on which Table 32 is based was obtained from Chapter III, Section 51, NIS 26: "Railroads" (Confidential).

9. Data on the petroleum inputs into the iron and steel industry based on the contribution of M/IM to Project 110-51. (Secret). Data on the petroleum inputs into the electric power industry based on the contribution of S/EP to Project 110-51. (Secret). Data on the fuel oil requirements of the petroleum refining industry based on data included in Section 1-C of this Project, Refining of Petroleum in the USSR. (Secret).

10. Data on other identified consumers of industrial fuels taken from ORR contributions to Project 105-51 (Secret).

11. The indices of regional consumption for the electric power industry are based on the contribution of S/EP to Project 105-51 (Secret).

12. The index of regional consumption for the iron and steel industry is taken from the contribution of M/FM to Project 105-51 (Secret).

13. Lorimer, Frank, The Population of the Soviet Union, League of Nations, Geneva, 1946, Table 60.

14. Data for this index, presented in Table 45, provided by S/L. (Secret).

15. Document No. 2-21371, IF US TOP SECRET CIA Control No. 028336, 20 December 1951 (Top Secret).

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